Amendments to the Specification

Please replace the paragraph at page 4, lines 6 through 9 with the following amended paragraph:

In a preferred embodiment, the patient information in the device can be sorted by different categories such as patient location. Billing code guideline changes can be flagged by an alarm to warn the physicians to check new updated guidelines. Further, billing code, medical procedures, evaluation and diagnosis menus are tailored to each physician.

Please replace the paragraph at page 4, lines 20 through 23 with the following amended paragraph:

In another preferred embodiment, a list of patients to be seen on a particular day is displayed on the screen of the handheld processing device. Further, a list of patient locations in the hospital is also displayed on the screen of the handheld processing device. The physician enters a billing code selection corresponding to a patient examined.